PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, during the month of February the citizens of the United States of America will be celebrating the birthday anniversarys of two resolute American patriots and famous Presidents, George Washington and Abraham Lincoln; and

WHEREAS, it is becoming more and more important for each person of this great nation to have a true understanding of the history of these United States; and

WHEREAS, by stressing the great spiritual strength and wisdom our forefathers displayed, and by learning more about the carefully worded documents on which our freedom is based, we contribute to a greater American scope for future generations:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, NILS A. BOE, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim and declare the month of February, 1968, as--

AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

in South Dakota, and do call upon all organizations of whatever kind, and upon public, parochial and private schools to emphasize the study of American History during this designated month.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 31st day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Sixty-eight.

Nils A Boe

NILS A. BOE, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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